

Amendments to the Claims:

Please amend the claims as shown below. This Listing of Claims will replace prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A printing apparatus that processes a print job, the printing apparatus comprising:

a receiving unit configured to receive ~~for receiving~~ a request for canceling the print job from an information processing system;

a determining unit configured to determine whether the print job specified in the request received by the receiving unit can be canceled;

a responding unit configured to transmit ~~for transmitting~~ response information indicating that the request for canceling the print job has been received to the information processing system before cancellation of the print job specified in the request is completed in a case where the determining unit determines that the print job can be canceled and to transmit error response information to the information processing system in a case where the determining unit determines that the print job cannot be cancelled, in as a response to the request for canceling the print job received by the receiving unit, to the information processing system, the response information indicating that the request for canceling the print job has been received; and

a transmitting unit configured to transmit ~~for transmitting~~ information that the print job has been canceled to the information processing system, after the

print job has been canceled in accordance with the request for canceling the print job received by the receiving unit, ~~to the information processing system, the information indicating that the print job has been canceled.~~

2. (Currently Amended) A printing apparatus according to Claim 1, further comprising:

a retrieving unit configured to receive ~~for receiving~~ the print job for which the request for canceling the print job has been submitted in accordance with the request for canceling the print job received by the receiving unit,

wherein the responding unit transmits either the response information to the information processing system if the corresponding print job is retrieved by the retrieving unit; or ~~transmits the~~ error response information to the information processing system if the corresponding print job is not retrieved by the retrieving unit.

3. (Currently Amended) A printing apparatus according to Claim 1, further comprising:

an acquiring unit configured to acquire ~~for acquiring~~ second identification information of the print job corresponding to first identification information specified in the request for canceling the print job received by the receiving unit, the second identification information being associated with the print job in order for the printing apparatus to manage the print job; and

a canceling unit configured to cancel ~~for canceling~~ the print job based on the second identification information acquired by the acquiring unit.

4. (Currently Amended) A printing apparatus according to Claim 3, further comprising:

a request receiving unit configured to receive ~~for receiving~~ a request for the print job from the information processing system;

an identification-information transmitting unit configured to transmit ~~for transmitting~~ the first identification information corresponding to the print job to the information processing system in accordance with the request received by the request receiving unit; and

a print-data receiving unit configured to receive ~~for receiving~~ print data corresponding to the print job from the information processing system after the first identification information has been transmitted by the identification-information transmitting unit.

5. (Original) A printing apparatus according to Claim 3, wherein the transmitting unit transmits the information that the print job has been canceled to the information processing system after the print job has been canceled by the canceling unit.

6. (Currently Amended) A ~~canceling~~ method of canceling a print job in a printing apparatus, the ~~canceling~~ method comprising:

~~an instruction step of transmitting a request for canceling the print job from
an information processing system to the printing apparatus;~~

~~a receiving step of receiving, by the printing apparatus, the~~ a request for
canceling the print job ~~transmitted from an~~ the information processing system;
and

determining whether the print job specified in the received request can be
canceled;

~~a responding step of transmitting response~~ information indicating that the
request for canceling the print job has been received to the information
processing system as a response to the request for canceling the print job before
cancellation of the print job specified in the request is completed in a case where
it is determined that the print job can be canceled; and

transmitting error response information to the information processing
system as a response to the request for canceling the print job in a case where it
is determined that the print job cannot be canceled ~~wherein the response
information is transmitted before the print job is canceled in accordance with the
request for canceling the print job.~~

7. (Currently Amended) A ~~canceling~~ method according to Claim 6, further
comprising:

~~a transmitting step of transmitting information~~ indicating that the print job
has been canceled to the information processing system, ~~wherein the information~~

~~is transmitted~~ after the print job has been canceled in accordance with the request for canceling the print job.

8. (Currently Amended) A ~~canceling~~ method according to Claim 6, further comprising:

~~a retrieving step~~ of retrieving the print job for which the request for canceling the print job has been submitted in accordance with the request for canceling the print job,

wherein the ~~responding step~~ ~~either transmits~~ response information is transmitted to the information processing system if the corresponding print job is retrieved ~~in the retrieving step~~, and ~~or transmits~~ the error response information is transmitted to the information processing system if the corresponding print job is not retrieved ~~in the retrieving step~~.

9. (Currently Amended) A ~~canceling~~ method according to Claim 6, further comprising:

~~an acquiring step~~ of acquiring second identification information of the print job corresponding to first identification information specified in the request for canceling the print job, the second identification information being associated with the print job in order for the printing apparatus to manage the print job; and

~~a canceling step~~ of canceling the print job based on the acquired second identification information ~~acquired in the acquiring step~~.

10. (New) A computer-readable medium that stores computer-executable program for canceling a print job in a printing apparatus, the computer-readable medium comprising:

a code to receive a request for canceling the print job from an information processing system;

a code to determine whether the print job specified in the received request can be canceled;

a code to transmit response information indicating whether the request for canceling the print job has been received to the information processing system as a response to the request for canceling the print job before cancellation of the print job specified in the request is completed in a case where it is determined that the print job can be canceled; and

a code to transmit error response information to the information processing system as a response to the request for canceling the print job in a case where it is determined that the print job cannot be canceled.